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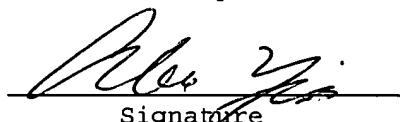
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Title : Technique for Returning Calls in Response
to Received Messages

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- (1) A Declaration referring to the above-identified patent application in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.63;
- (2) Seven (7) sheets of formal drawings including Figs. 1-5, 6A, and 6B;
- (3) An original copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts;
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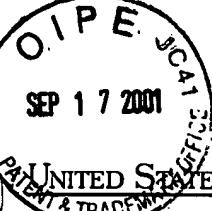
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

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- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:

- drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);

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Filing Date	7/31/01
First Named Inventor	A. Powell
Examiner Name	TBA
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Attorney Docket No.	41698-1024

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1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

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Applicant claims small entity status.
See 37 CFR 1.27

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139	130	139 130 Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147 2,520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
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115	110	215 55 Extension for reply within first month	
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119	310	219 155 Notice of Appeal	
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144	600	244 300 Plant issue fee	
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